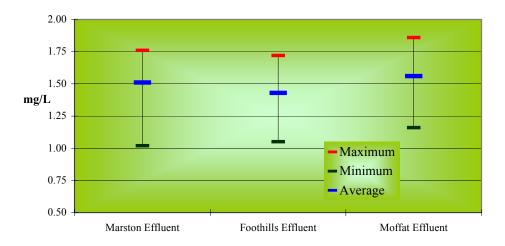
## How Much Chlorine Is In The Water?

Denver Water uses chloramine to disinfect the water. The EPA regulation for chloramine is 4 mg/L. During the late summer into the fall, the chloramine dosage was increased to minimize bacterial counts. The goal for chloramine dosage is 1.3  $\pm$  0.2 mg/L.





## How Warm or Cold Can the Water Get?

The water temperatures leaving the treatment plants fluctuate seasonally. At higher temperatures, the disinfectant is more likely to dissipate. Chloramine residuals may be increased during the summer months to ensure thorough disinfection.

## **Average Monthly Temperatures for Treatment Plant Effluents for 2001**

